

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Commercial Taxes Department – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT) (Intelligence), Warangal, presently Deputy Commissioner (CT), Eluru – Article of Charges issued – Written Statement of Defence submitted - Case entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries – Enquiry Officer Appointed – Enquiry not completed even after lapse of 5 years period – Individual submitted Representation – Examined - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Rt.) No. 1182.

Dt. 24.08.2010.

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O. (Rt.) No.1132, Revenue (Vig.I) Deptt., dt.06.06.2005.
- 2) Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, AC (CT) WSD, dt.23.07.2005.
- 3) G.O. (Rt.) No.2227, Revenue (Vig.I) Deptt., dt.12.10.2006.
- 4) U.O. Note No.1011/COI-R/2009-1, dt.30.07.2009.
- 5) G.O. (Rt.) No.1317, Revenue (Vig.I) Deptt., dt.05.09.2009.
- 6) Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly AC (CT) (Int.), Warangal, presently DC (CT), Eluru, representation, dt.22.05.2010.

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, Article of Charges have been framed and issued against Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT) (Intelligence), Warangal, presently Deputy Commissioner (CT), Eluru alleging that he committed grave misconduct in as much as he came to the Office of the Assistant Commissioner (CT) (Intelligence), Warangal on 18.11.2001, i.e., Sunday (Holiday) and issued proceedings and verification report pertaining to some Agencies with ante-dates after calling some of the owners of shops / establishments collecting bribes from them, though he handed-over the charge for the post of the Assistant Commissioner (CT) on 09.11.2001, he was found in possession of cash of Rs.3,000/- and thereby contravened APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2) And whereas in the reference second read above, Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT) has submitted his written statement of defence and denied the charges leveled against him stating that it is not uncommon in this Department to attend to the office routine and also to check accounts and verification of the dealers in some urgent cases on holidays if the dealers are willing to co-operate also and there is no prohibition on attending to office on holidays. He has stated that the amount of Rs.3,000/- available with him was intended for making payment of Rs.1,300/- for the opticals ordered at Cosmos Optical Centre at Warangal for payment towards cost of opticals to him as well as his son and remaining Rs.1,700/- was towards fare and expenditure to go to Hyderabad and there from to Chittoor. The ACB Officials have returned the said amount to him after satisfactory reply.

3) And whereas in the reference third read above, the case was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries by appointing Dr. Prashant Mahapatra, IAS., Member, Commissioner of Inquiries, as Inquiring Authority to enquire into the charges framed against Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT), Warangal.

4) And whereas in the reference fourth read above, the General Administration (COI-R) Department has requested to issue revised orders appointing Sri A.B. Venkateswara Rao, IPS., Commissioner of Inquiries, G.A. (COI) Department as an Inquiring Authority in place of Dr. Prashant Mahapatra, IAS.,

5) And whereas in the reference fifth read above, revised orders have been issued by appointing Sri A.B. Venkateswara Rao, IPS., Member, Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiring Authority in place of Dr. Prashant Mahapatra, IAS.,

p.t.o.

6) And whereas in the reference sixth read above, Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT) (Intelligence), Warangal, presently Deputy Commissioner (CT), Eluru has submitted that the charges framed against him are not grave and the ACB authorities, after satisfactory reply have returned the amount collected from him i.e., Rs.3,000/-. Further the case was referred to Commissioner of Inquiries in the year 2006, i.e., after five years of the surprise check. Even after completion of 9 ½ years enquiry was not commenced. He has requested the Government to drop all further proceedings in this case.

7) Government, after careful examination of the matter in detail decide to drop further action against Sri K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, formerly Assistant Commissioner (CT) (Intelligence), Warangal, presently Deputy Commissioner (CT), Eluru and accordingly further action is dropped against him.

8) The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASUTOSH MISHRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, A.P., Hyderabad.
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The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
The Revenue (CT.I) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER